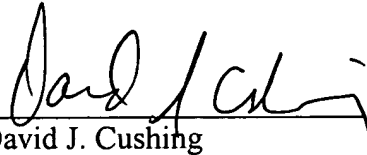


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REMARKS

Entry and consideration of this Amendment are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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APPENDIX

VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE TITLE:

The title is changed as follows:

DEVICE AND METHOD TO COMPRESS DESTINATION ADDRESSES OF A
~~MULTICASE~~ MULTICAST MESSAGE